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Title: A METHOD FOR AUTOMATIC PERMISSION MANAGEMENT
IN ROLE-BASED ACCESS CONTROL SYSTEMS

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the nonprovisional utility patent application of:

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[X] Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27.

Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (67 pages).
- [X] Formal drawings (4 Sheets, Figures 1-7).
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- [X] Assignment of the invention to VDG, INC.
- [X] Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.

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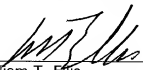
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| Basic Fee | | | | \$710.00 | \$710.00 |
| Total Claims: | 42 | - 20 | = 22 | x \$18.00 | = \$396.00 |
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